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Status						
1)☐ Respo	onsive to communication(s) filed on					
2a)☐ This a	This action is FINAL. 2b) This action is non-final.					
3) Since	Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is					
closed	d in accordance with the practice under E	Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11, 45	i3 O.G. 213.			
Disposition of	Claims					
4)⊠ Claim	n(s) <u>1-21</u> is/are pending in the application.					
4a) Of	4a) Of the above claim(s) is/are withdrawn from consideration.					
5)⊠ Claim	5)⊠ Claim(s) <u>1,3,5-11,13 and 15-20</u> is/are allowed.					
6)⊠ Claim	i)⊠ Claim(s) <u>2,4,12,14 and 21</u> is/are rejected.					
7)∐ Claim	Claim(s) is/are objected to.					
8)∏ Claim	i(s) are subject to restriction and/or	r election requirement.				
Application Pa	pers					
9)∐ The sp	pecification is objected to by the Examine	r.				
10)⊠ The drawing(s) filed on <u>20 February 2002</u> is/are: a)⊠ accepted or b)□ objected to by the Examiner.						
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).						
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).						
11)∐ The oa	ath or declaration is objected to by the Ex	aminer. Note the attached Office	Action or form PTO-152.			
Priority under	35 U.S.C. § 119					
12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).						
a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some * c) ☐ None of:						
1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.						
2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No						
3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage						
	application from the International Bureau	ı (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).				
* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.						
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	erences Cited (PTO-892)	4) Interview Summary				
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DETAILED ACTION

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112

1. Claims 2, 4, 12, 14 and 21 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Claim 2 is inconsistent with claim 1 because it is directed to a "program of instructions" whereas claim 1 is directed to a "system". Similarly note claims 4, 12, 14 and 21. It is suggested that claims 4, 12, 14 and 21 be rewritten in independent form.

Allowable Subject Matter

- 2. Claims 1, 3, 5-11, 13 and 15-20 are allowed.
- 3. Claims 2, 4, 12, 14 and 21 would be allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejection(s) under 35 U.S.C. 112, 2nd paragraph, set forth in this Office action and to include all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Specification

4. The lengthy specification has not been checked to the extent necessary to determine the presence of all possible minor errors. Applicant's cooperation is requested in correcting any errors of which applicant may become aware in the specification.

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Conclusion

5. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to David H. Malzahn whose telephone number is (571) 272-3727. The examiner can normally be reached on m-Th from 7:30 to 6:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Kakali Chaki, can be reached on 571-272-3719. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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